

These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's [core regulations for undergraduate programmes](#), and the [marking and classification conventions for undergraduate programmes](#).

LLB Law (Senior Status) (M105) [First intake in 2026-27]

1. This programme is available at Durham City, in a full-time mode of study.
2. This is an accelerated programme and candidates will be awarded 120 credits under the University's Accreditation of Prior Learning (APL) policy to recognise their first degree [Module: Senior Status LAW PL120].

YEAR 1

3. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following core (compulsory) modules:

		Credit value
Tort Law †	LAW1051	20
European Union Law †	LAW1061	20
Contract Law †	LAW1071	20
The Individual and the State †	LAW1081	20
UK Constitutional Law †	LAW1091	20
Introduction to English Law & Legal Method #	LAW1121	20

YEAR 2

4. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following core (compulsory) modules:

		Credit value
Dissertation (Senior Status) ~	LAW3 NEW	40
Land Law †	LAW3 NEW	20
Trusts Law †	LAW3 NEW	20
Criminal Law †	LAW3 NEW	20

5. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 20 credits from the following List B – please note that availability of offering might vary from year to year and will depend on timetabling of modules in relation to List A:

LIST B:		Credit value
Competition Law	LAW3011	20
Company Law	LAW3031	20
Intellectual Property Law	LAW3061	20
Law and Medicine	LAW3071	20
International Human Rights	LAW3151	20
International Criminal Law	LAW3241	20
Comparative Constitutional Law	LAW3351	20
Chinese Legal System	LAW3431	20
Media Law	LAW3461	20
Private International Law	LAW3491	20
Climate Change Law and Policy	LAW3531	20

Assessment, progression and award

6. Modules marked with # must be passed at 40% or above in order to progress to the next year of study.
7. Modules marked with ~ must be passed at 40% or above for the award of an Honours degree. A mark of 30 – 39% cannot be compensated.
8. Modules marked with * are not available in 2025-26.

9. The programme has been granted an exemption from the University's Core Regulations for Undergraduate Programmes to allow 120 credits of Accredited Prior Learning (APL) to be recognised. The programme will recognise 120 credits as accredited prior learning in the form of the candidate's first degree [Module: Senior Status LAW PL120].
10. The award will be made solely on the basis of work completed at Durham.
11. The programme will conform to the University's Core Regulations for Undergraduate Programmes which specify that undergraduate degrees will be classified on the performance of students in respect of 12 single modules or equivalent (to the value of 240 credits), for this programme this references that the performance on modules studied in the first and second years shall be differentially weighted 2:3 for the purposes of the award and classification.
12. Any candidates leaving the University after Year 1 of the programme having passed 120 credits would be eligible for the award of Certificate of Higher Education, including up to 20 credits gained by compensation in respect of modules taken during Level 1 provided that:
 - (a) a mark of not less than 30% has been obtained in the module to be compensated; and
 - (b) the overall average for the modules taken during Level 1 is at least 40%.

Professional Recognition

13. This degree satisfies the academic component of Bar training required by the Bar Standards Board; subject to successful completion of modules marked with †.